Highlanders Top Feature

One of the top features of commencement and gymnasium dedication week, May 22-27, will be the appearance of Iowa university's Scottish Highlanders, largest bagpipe band in the world, on the evening of formal dedication ceremonies for the new $400,000 Knights gymnasium.

Among the leading speakers of the week will be the following:

Dr. Morris Wee, Chicago, executive secretary of the Student Service commission of the National Lutheran Council, commencement.

Dr. William L. Young, Columbus, Ohio, executive secretary of the Board of Christian Higher Education of the American Lutheran church, gymnasium dedication.

The Rev. A. W. Engelbrecht, Mendota, Ill., president of the Illinois district of the American Lutheran church, baccalaureate.

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May 4 Plans Nearly Completed

Plans for the annual High School Senior day, which will be held on the campus Wednesday, May 4, are almost completed, the Rev. C. G. Shalkhauser, public relations director, announced this week.

Traditional program of entertainment will be followed with a tour of the new gym and a Future Teachers tea added.

"Over five hundred guests were present for senior day last year, and that many or more are expected this year," stated Mr. Shalkhauser.

Some From Other States.

Visitors are expected from Wisconsin, Illinois and Minnesota as well as from Iowa.

Events of special interest to visitors will be the baseball game between the Knights and Luther college, which will be played on the new baseball field, and the Wartburg Players dramatic production, "George Washington Slept Here." The play will be given in the Waverly high school auditorium.

Most of the morning will be filled with registration, visits to regular classes, laboratory demonstrations and displays. All buildings on the campus will be open for inspection by the guests, who will be guided by Wartburg students appointed for that purpose.

Choir At Convocation.

Wartburg a cappella choir will be featured at the 11 a.m., convocation, which will be held in the college gymnasium, as will the 6:30 p.m., chapel services.

Luncheons for chaperons and pastors are scheduled for President C. H. Becker's residence, and for high school lettermen in the gym.

After the noon hour, the college band will give a concert in the Luther hall court. Following this, tennis will be played on the college courts.

Invitations Sent.

As in the past, invitations have been sent to all neighboring high schools and to others interested in Wartburg college.

"Senior day is not limited to the seniors. All high school students or prospective students, parents and friends are invited to spend this day on the Wartburg campus," Mr. Shalkhauser concluded.

May 3 Final In Radio Drive

May 3 has been set as the new deadline for donations to the second semester student body project, as announced yesterday by Harold Kruger, drive co-chairman.

Originally scheduled to end yesterday, April 22, the drive time limit has been extended in order that the $1,000 goal may be reached. Easter vacation and the presidential campaign, as well as the usual end-of-the-month lack of financial resources, were given as reasons for the slow progress being made with the radio project.

The voluntary method of contributing has been carried out, students giving money to representatives of the project committee. Ervin (Phi) Hanus, freshman, is general treasurer for the drive.

This Week—KNYT

Sunday, April 24

1-2 p.m.—Junior class talent show (tape recorded).

2-3 p.m.—"Relax and Listen."

Monday-Friday, April 25-29

3:15-3:45 p.m.—"Open House"—Bob Snyder, Harold Wienke, Marianne Schmidt.

3:45-4 p.m.—Campus and sports news—Roger Hackbart, Ruth Meyer, Russ Hendrickson, Norm Fintel, Adam Meidinger.

4-4:30 p.m.—"Music We All Love"—George Roleder, Ruth Engelbrecht.

4:30-5 p.m.—Wartburg Theater of the Air.

5-5:30 p.m.—"Novelty Shop"—Melvin Gleiter, Ray Bareis.

5:30-6 p.m.—"550 Club"—Paul Lohnes, Marjorie Wuebbens, George Herbener.

6 p.m.—End of broadcast.

New Time Given

New Friday and Saturday closing hour for the Castle Den will be 10 p.m., according to an announcement made yesterday by Miss Vi Luhring, Den manager.

Wartburg's Week

Sunday, April 24

2 p.m.—Hans Sachs sing.

5 p.m.—Lutheran Student association.

6:30 p.m.—Science club banquet.

Chapel choir concert, away.

Monday, April 25

7 p.m.—Chapel, Gilbert Mueller.

7:30 p.m.—Student Senate.

Loras baseball, here.

Tuesday, April 26

9:30 a.m.—Convo, the Rev. W. C. Fritschel.

7 p.m.—Chapel, the Rev. Edwin A. Schick.

6:30 p.m.—Pi Sigma banquet.

7:30 p.m.—Passavant club.

7:30 p.m.—Political Science Discussion club.

Wednesday, April 27

7 p.m.—Chapel, Robert King.

8 p.m.—Oratory final, chapel hall.

Thursday, April 28

9:30 a.m.—Convo, student body meeting.

7 p.m.—Chapel, Mrs. E. A. Schick.

7 p.m.—Choir rehearsal at St. Paul's.

Friday, April 29

7 p.m.—Chapel, Joseph Sauser.

8 p.m.—Recital at Waverly high school auditorium.

Little Ashram—April 29-May 1.

Saturday, April 30

Simpson baseball, there.

WAA and Pep club all-school party in gym.

Sunday, May 1

2 p.m.—Hans Sachs sing.

5 p.m.—Lutheran Student association.

8 p.m.—Wartburg choir concert at Waverly high school auditorium.

Chapel choir, away.

Mexican Senors, Senoritas, Learn Through Efforts Of Wartburger

Little Mexican senors and senoritas are not only receiving a better education, but also learning about Jesus and his love, through the efforts of such people as Betty Winter, a Wartburg two-year-teacher graduate of 1948, who is instructing in a Mexican mission at San Juan, Tex.

Recently Prof. Walter G. Tillmanns, head of the modern languages department, received the following letter from Miss Winter which tells of some of the interesting phases of her work:

'Everything New, Interesting.'

"Everything here is certainly new and interesting. The Mexicans are interesting to work with. I teach grades 3-6, and all of those children are dear to me, not only because they are so lively, but also because they are so precious in the sight of God. We have close to eighty enrolled in school here. I have 26 in my room at present; at one time I had 32.

"Our Sunday school has been growing lately. Last Sunday we had an all-time high of 102 present.

"Every other Friday night we have a children's meeting. We usually have around sixty children there. At present we are showing a film strip of the life of King David. The children all love it, especially the opening of the meeting when we sing hymns.

People Being Vaccinated.

"I wish you could have been with us here yesterday. There are eight cases of smallpox in the valley, so many people are being vaccinated. Mrs. Haag decided to hold a 'shot day' at our school here for children and their parents from 6:30 to 3:30 yesterday. Were we ever surprised when we started vaccinating. There was a mob there all day, and chaos reigned when we stopped at 6 last night. We had vaccinated about seven hundred people from 6:45 to 6 yesterday.

"Some people had to be turned away, so we're going to have another 'shot day' next Saturday. One lady, when she found out we were going to vaccinate, said, 'I go tell everybody.' To us it seemed that was exactly what she had done. It certainly was an experience I'll never forget."

Prof. Tillmanns also stated that during the past few years Russell Schilling, Albert Meyer and Mae Schmidt, all former Wartburg students, have served at various Mexican missions.

Progressive Jazz At Campus Concert

Progressive jazz is planned for presentation at the Campus Concert on Saturday, May 7, at 8 p.m. in the lounge of Wartburg hall, according to the Music Appreciation club program committee. This concert is in line with the club plan to acquaint students with all types of music.

Music by Duke Wellington, Woody Herman, Stan Kenton and Richard Rodgers will be featured. "Black, Brown and Beige," a Negro tone poem by the "Duke" will open the program, followed by several instrumentals. The Herman Herd will play the originals by Ralph Burns, "Lady McGowen's Dream" and "Summer Sequence."

After intermission, Stan Kenton's modernistic aggregation will play several Kenton-Rugolo originals, including "Willow Weep for Me," "Monotony," "Impressionism" and several others. "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue" will bring the program to an exciting conclusion. This modernistic musical setting of New York was featured in the MGM movie, "Words and Music," with an impressionistic dance.

Gleiter Issues Call

Call went out this week from Melvin Gleiter, editor of the 1950 Fortress, to persons interested in working on the Fortress staff next year.

Those wishing to work on the staff of the annual are asked to submit a statement showing class standing, past experience and work preference to either Gleiter or Miss Margaret Wolff, adviser, whose office is in the White House.

Students Name Prexies, Prepare For Senators

Walker Vogel

Wartburg students made their choices for class presidents Wednesday of this week in a quiet election which proved quite a contrast to the hotly contested race for student body president.

Next Monday, April 25, the freshman, sophomore and junior classes will vote for student senators to represent their classes next year.

Senior class president next year will be John Walker of Des Moines. He was one of four candidates nominated for the office at the class meeting held Monday, April 11. Walker received 29 votes, Paul Lechner 15, Dale Rathe 4 and Marshall Becker 2.

Judy Junior Prexy.

July Vogel of Madison, Wis., was elected president of next year's junior class. Results of the election gave Vogel 21 votes, Wayne Stumme 13, Gordon Braun 11, Clarence Bruninga 6 and Claude Grelling 3.

Closest presidential race occurred in the freshman class, where Howard Rand of Oshkosh, Wis., edged out four other candidates. Rand received 34 votes, Melvin Kramer 26, Edwin Roleder 26, Art Klein 6 and George Gundacker 1.

Only student body elections remaining this spring are those for choosing class representatives to Student Senate. Nominations for the three senators to be elected by each class were received during class meetings held Thursday evening. Final election will be held Monday, April 25, in Luther hall, with the Student Senate elections committee in charge.

Seniors Nominate Six.

Nominated for the Student Senate from next year's senior class were Marshall Becker, Bill Biedermann, Ruth Engelbrecht, Harold Kruger, Paul Lechner and Francis Neumann.

Next year's juniors will choose their three senators from among LeRoy Aden, Gordon Braun, Norman Fintel, Claude Grelling, Katherine Smith and Hareld Wiltshire.

Representing the sophomore class next year will be three of several nominees—Ivan Amman, Betty Boebel, Betty Drysdale, Phyllis Frei, Donald Groskreutz, Melvin Kramer, Clifford Maiden, Jeanette Priebe, Mary Ann Reyelts and Paul Schubert.

Music By Students On Convo Program

Orginal compositions by students from the music theory classes will comprise the convocation program on Tuesday, May 3, according to Dr. Edwin Liemohn, head of the music department.

Student material to be presented at that time will include vocal, piano and instrumental music as well as arrangements of previous works. As far as possible, compositions will be performed by the student-composers themselves.

"The object of such a program is for demonstration of music theory class work and to show how practical a course in theory can be," commented Dr. Liemohn.

Blizzard Stalls Moehl

Miss Erna Moehl, Wartburg English instructor, can chalk up another travel experience for herself and her trusty Ford. Latest episode took place during the big spring snowstorm on Thursday, April 14, when her car was stalled in a snowbank between Waverly and Seven Mile corner east of town.

Miss Moehl and her sister, Miss Hedwig Moehl, started from Waverly Thursday evening to meet a friend, Miss Caroline Ferris, who was arriving in Waterloo on the 10:55 train. The train was an hour late, a howling blizzard was filling the roads with banks of heavy, wet snow, and even the trusty Ford could not go farther than the big snowbank running across Highway 3, a few miles outside Waverly.

At 1 a. m. the three were securely lodged in the snow, and so they contented themselves with the fate of spending a long, cold, dark night in the confines of the car. Finally, dawn broke, a bread wagon came ploughing up the road, and so Miss Moehl bought a loaf of bread, which served as breakfast.

Striking out through the waist-deep snow, she came to a farmhouse, roused the family from deep slumber and persuaded the man of the house to start up the tractor. While walking back, she flagged a snowplow, which gave her a ride to her car. The farmer's tractor pulled the car from the snowbenk and onto the cleared highway so the trusty Ford set out again for Waverly.

By 9:15 a.m. Miss Moehl, her sister and her friend were in Waverly again.

What Is Expected Of Leader?

"What is expected of me as a student leader?"

This is but one of the questions being asked this month by many Wartburg students elected or attempting to be elected to responsible positions within the framework of student government or student organizations. Under the new constitution the upper-class members of the Student Senate for next year will be elected by the end of the month. Upon the recommendation of the Senate many organizations have set aside April meetings for the election of their presidents for next year.

Any student office is as important as its holder makes it; this applies to membership on the most so-called insignificant committee, to the student body presidency. To the question "Am I capable?" the TRUMPET would answer "Yes, if . . . ."

If a student officer can make the following statements honestly, he will probably be a good officer:

1. I realize that my office is an important one and that the success of my organization depends largely upon my success as an officer.
2. I realize that I am capable of being a real leader and of living up to the trust shown me by those who elected me.
3. I realize that to be an effective leader I must take definite stands, and until I am proven wrong, I must hold fast to my beliefs.
4. I realize that I must know the needs of my organization, and I pledge myself to satisfying those needs as far as possible.
5. I realize that I must be a good follower in all organizations of which I am a member if I am to be a good leader in the one of which I am an officer.
6. I realize that I must cooperate with other leaders, other organizations and student government agencies if extracurricular activities are to be actively integrated into the program of Wartburg college.
7. I realize that the primary aim of Wartburg, like any Christian college, is to achieve an active and sincere belief in the need for Christian service.

No leader can be a good leader unless he knows himself well. Let us take stock of our qualifications.

World Views By Grelling

'United We Stand'

One of the greatest statesmen, and certainly the greatest conqueror of all times, once condensed his political philosophy into a striking maxim—"si vis pacem, para bellum"—if you wish peace, prepare for war. Caesar expressed in those few words an uncanny paradox which holds true today just as much as it did two thousand years ago.

Those five Latin words throw a striking sidelight on the pathetic, illogical workings of the mind of mankind. Twice within this century the world has prepared for peace, and twice it has been thrown into conflagrations which all but threatened to extinguish the light of western civilization. Will we repeat the same mistake in our generation? Will we expose the world once more to devastation and to ruin because we are not ready?

The answer must be, it can but be, a thundering "NO!" The Great Roman knew what he was saying. He knew that, unfortunately, respect seems to be inspired only by force, and through force by fear. Why was it that the Roman Empire knew four hundred years of peace after Caesar's death? Because it had a better system of government? Yes, but also because behind that system of government there stood the mightiest army in the world, ready to crush any outsider who dared to challenge Rome.

If the past thirty years of strife and tension have taught us anything, they should have taught us that demilitarization and isolationism are shining mirages likely to bring about disaster. Let us hope that America has learned that the best way to escape another challenge is to be too strong to be challenged.

Let us also abandon the illusion that the North Atlantic Alliance is primarily and essentially an instrument of peace. Yes, its ultimate goal is peace. But its first goal is security—security based upon the collective might of 11 nations ready to stand and to fall, side by side. The past does not invite war. But it is a clear-cut statement that the western nations will not evade war if war should be forced upon them.

America wants peace. She wants peace, but not at any price. If the cost of peace is slavery, she will reject peace. If the cost of peace is dictatorship, she and 10 other nations will fight to the last man and the last round of ammunition. The North Atlantic Alliance is not a challenge of war, it is a challenge of defiance.

These 11 peace-loving nations have thrown their lot together. They have realized the truth of another timeless maxim—"united we stand; divided we fall." If the men in the Kremlin want war, let them look first at the formidable power which they face. Three hundred million people are united for the defense of their most priceless possession—their freedom. Let Stalin think twice before he challenges those three hundred million to fight. They have their backs against the wall. They have made all the concessions they are willing to make. Before he takes away their freedom, he must take away their lives.

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Is Girl With Purpose

—TRUMPET Staff Photo by Zimmerman.
Gladys Silvester

By Marianne Schmidt

"Parish work isn't something you just pick. I think, like ministers, parish workers have to experience a call."

Gladys Silvester, attractive president of the Phebes, parish workers organization, is the speaker, and her career, her subject.

"I was undecided for a long time about what sort of work I wanted to do. I met a little Jewish girl then—8 years old—and in trying to bring Christ to her, I decided my work should be among the Jews."

The two-year parish worker course at Wartburg is the first step toward her goal. Then she plans to spend a year, probably in the Illinois district, getting experience in the field. Gladys feels that in order to reach the Jews, she is going to need extensive learning in the Old Testament. To get this, she plans to take the proper courses at Capital Seminary.

Takes Kidding.

"Of course," she says stoutly, obviously taking it with a grain of salt, "I have to take a lot of kidding about this."

By the time her training is completed, she's hoping the National Lutheran Council will have a program set up for reaching the Jews. If not—who knows— perhaps she'll be the one to set it up. And, finally, she dreams of going some day to Palestine itself.

All this, of course, belongs to the hazy future. Not one to ignore the next-at-hand, the hard-working Phebes prexy now is doing much to further the cause of her favorite organization. Speaking in her sincere, precise way, she lists their activities.

Have Inspiring Speakers.

"The Phebes hold meetings monthly. We usually have speakers who give inspirational talks on parish work. We have just finished making visitations for St. Paul's and are about to begin work on a clothing drive for the needy. We also publish 'The Epistle,' a newsletter which goes out to all the parish workers in the ALC."

But Gladys is not one who believes in "all work and no play." She is definitely sports-minded.

"I'd like to ice skate all year round," she says. That not being practical, she settles for swimming and softball for half the year.

Gladys once seriously injured her back while riding a horse bareback on the Silvester farm in Michigan. Now her back is all right again, and gamely enough, she can't wait to go riding again. But this time she intends to use a saddle!

News & Views

By The Staff

I'M DREAMING of a White Easter . . . " None of us were dreaming about it, but we surely got it! Maybe Old Man Winter got a little mixed up with his calendar.

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BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT over Easter vacation went to the members of the baseball squads. They were unable to go home because of two scheduled baseball games and were unable to play baseball because of the big April snowstorm.

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DON'T GET the wrong idea if you hear about open fifths running around Old Main at all hours of the day. They're just music terms that have nothing to do with spirits of intoxication.

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BIG BILL Hansen has signed a contract to serve as athletic director and science teacher at Kensett.

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CONGRATULATIONS to Ruth Mueller and Ralph Tews, whose engagement was announced over the holiday vacation! Maybe they didn't notice the sudden return of winter like the rest of us did.

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MANY THANKS from Marvin Goetz to all who helped put on the talent show and made it the success that it was.

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CONGRATULATIONS to newly elected organization presidents, Dale Rathe of FTA, Gideon Schuh of Hans Sachs Verein and Harold Meyer of LSA.

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Waverly Theater PROGRAM

Sun., Mon., April 24-25
Loretta Young in
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Tues., Wed., April 26-27
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"MY OWN TRUE LOVE"

Thur., Fri., Sat., Apr. 28-29-30
Errol Flynn in
"Adventures of Don Juan"

Waverly Theater
Shows start at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.

Listening to an amateur program . . . fellow just did a novelty act that could be classified as THE PERFECT CRIME . . . he whistled with his mouth shut!

—by george!—

DID YOU KNOW THAT HALF THE CHEESE ON YOUR TABLE WAS PRODUCED IN MADISON, WIS.? (The other half is probably not worth eating . . . they would have us believe).

—by george!—

Jim Uliom is raising a family (don't get excited) of tropical fish. The cold Easter weather froze three of his little ones . . . now he has a light burning all night 2 avoid more fish-freezes. His ambition—2 keep a 24-hour vigil 2 see if his pets ever sleep. If they don't, he hopes 2 make a fortune on the know-how.

—by george!—

Any old-timer who's hep to the square can saw out a tune on a violin, but violining out a tune on a saw is still a novelty. Mr. Schield surprised students in convo with the sad, sweet sounds of his singing saw. Beautiful, 2 say the least. An spology for below-par playing (if ever needed) would no doubt be, "I have sawn better days."

—by george!—

Speaking of convo, I might add that Doc Liemohn got as much response for the group singing as radio announcers get when they shout 2 their eager studio audiences, "And what did you eat for breakfast this morning?" . . . when the program is sponsored by WHEATIES. Someone should have made a recording of it . . . shame 2 waste all that talent.

—by george!—

Took a walk 2 town the other afternoon . . . heard a shout from Bundgaard annex. Mel Sommers and Cecil Dull were looking down from their roof-top sun terrace. They say it's good for their health . . . and besides, open air makes for open minds.

—by george!—

ADVICE FROM THE PROPHET—A man's mind should be like a parachute . . . function only when open!

—by george!—

CLEAN UP . . . President Becker's plea for volunteers 2 work on the campus SPRING CLEAN brought one club out en masse (good ole Latin . . . or is it French). Orkids 2 the Wartburg Players and Alpha Psi . . . Maybe the idea is 2 erect a sign "George Washington Slept Here."

—by george!—

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DILLAVOU LUNCH

Beavers Slaughter Knights 16-7

By Adam Meidinger

Buena Vista slaughtered the Wartburg Knights 16-7 here Thursday afternoon in an Iowa conference tilt that saw the Beavers combine 13 hits with 10 costly Wartburg errors to rack up their second loop win.

It was the first game for the Knights.

Although the Beavers are rated as perhaps the best college team in the state, the score does not entirely prove this point. The Knights helped a great deal in cutting their own throats as they played poor defensive ball while showing up fairly well at the plate.

Michaelson, Bruns Star

Stars for the Knights in a losing cause were Johnny Michaelson and Paul Bruns. Catcher Michaelson had a perfect day at bat, getting four for four, including a double. Bruns got two hits in four trips, one a tremendous home run into left field.

Big sticks for the Beavers were second-baseman Buddy Yambor and shortstop John Poulson. Poulson hit three for six, including

Bruns Michaelson

a homer, and drove in four runs, while Yambor got three for five, including a double and a triple.

Buena Vista tagged Knight starter Paul (Red) Lechner for three runs in the first frame on a walk, Paul Madske's double, a Wartburg error and a triple by Yambor.

Knights Get Run.

Wartburg got one run back in its half of the same stanza when Stan Wignes walked and Michaelson drove him in. The Beavers exploded for five big markers in the fourth inning, aided by two more costly Knight errors, before Gus Begalske came in to put out the fire.

Wartburg's biggest outburst was the three-run fourth in which Michaelson led off with a double and was driven in by "Pete" Muller, who hit a triple into left-center. Paul Olson walked, stole second, and both men were driven in by a sharp single by Lloyd Spier.

Wartburg traveled to Winona, Minn., today where the Knights play the Winona teachers college this afternoon.

Next week there will be two more conference games on tap. On Monday the Knights will play host to Loras of Dubuque, and on Saturday Wartburg will travel to Indianola for a game with the Simpson Redmen.

Wartburg	AB	H	O	A
Wignes, 3b	4	0	1	2
Fliehler, lf	5	0	2	0
Bruns, cf	4	2	0	0
Michaelson, c	4	4	4	1
Muller, 2b	5	1	2	3
Klatt, rf	5	1	4	1
Olson, 1b	2	0	13	1
Spier, ss	4	1	1	4
Lechner, p	1	0	0	1
Begalske, p	2	0	0	1
Hansen, p	1	0	0	1
Totals	37	9	27	15

Buena Vista	AB	H	O	A
Waters, 3b	5	0	0	4
Madske, lf	6	2	2	0
Poulson, ss	6	3	1	3
Yambor, 2b	5	3	2	1
Fanning, c	6	1	12	1
Lewarne, cf	4	0	1	0
Stille, rf	5	1	0	0
Shriner, 1b	5	2	8	0
Stablefeldt, p	4	1	1	0
Jorgenson, p	0	0	0	1
Totals	46	13	27	10

Score by innings:

Buena Vista ......300 512 230—16

Wartburg ....100 310 020—7

Summary—Errors, Fliehler, Muller 2, Michaelson, Spier 4, Lechner, Yambor, Fanning 2, Stablefeldt, Jorgenson; 2B, Michaelson, Madske, Yambor; 3B, Muller, Yambor; HR, Bruns, Poulson; SB, Poulson, Olson, Michaelson.

SO, Lechner 1, Stablefeldt 6, Jorgenson 8; BB, Lechner 3, Begalske 3, Stablefeldt 2, Jorgenson 1; HBP, Stablefeldt (Bruns).

Umpire—Schrader and Gebhard.

Grange Speaks During Banquet For Athletes

By Claude Grelling

Harold (Red) Grange, former Illinois university halfback, Tuesday night addressed some three hundred persons during a banquet served in St. Paul's parish hall.

Dinner was given in honor of the Wartburg and Waverly high school athletic squads and sponsored by the Waverly Chamber of Commerce, the local Lions and the Rotarians.

Charlie Gebhard, of the Independent and Democrat, was toastmaster for the occasion. He introduced the various speakers of the evening and entertained the audience with what he called "old newspaper clippings" during the intervals between speeches. Also featured on the program were three numbers by the Waverly high school boys' quartet and "Selections from the Classics" by Earl Schramm and Bill Mooney.

Coaches Introduced.

Coaches "Nellie" Nelson, "Ax" Bundgaard and "Earnie" Oppermann of Wartburg and "Mart" Brandes and "Chuck" Uknes of Waverly high were in turn introduced and acquainted the audience with their various athletic squads.

Real feature of the evening was the address by "Red" Grange, which occupied the major part of the program. He entertained his listeners with many of his famous football stories, mingled here and there with some sound advice for prospective college players. In particular he dwelt on the importance of team play, courage and just plain "guts."

"The guy who impressed me most during my many years of football," Grange recalled, "was a fellow at Illinois university. Although he never played a game, he came out for football four years in a row and never missed a practice. Those are the men who make athletics the great thing it is."

Comments On 'Will to Win.'

Commenting further on the importance of the "will to win" in any game, Grange said, "If you won't be licked, it takes a team four times better than you are to do it—and they might not do it at that."

He also emphasized the fact that mere knowlege of the rules of the game does not make great coaches.

"There are thousands of mediocre coaches who know their rules just as well as Rockne or some of the other greats, but the thing that makes them great is the ability to make the fellows go all out for the game."

Giving advice to high school athletes who intend to go to college, he advised them against going to universities in other states.

'Too Many Dropped.'

"I've seen too many promising athletes dropped from the teams. The grass is not always as green on the other side of the fence as some pepole would like you to think."

He added, "Thinking a lot about athletics is a great thing, but remember that book work comes first."

Altogether, "Red" Grange once more proved himself not only one of the all-time football greats, but also an accomplished after-dinner speaker. His charming personality and simple manner impressed the audience with the fact that even great stars are human, that they talk and laugh just like anyone else and that they are not as unapproachable as they sometimes seem to be.

Prexy Dottie Advocates Revamping Of Pep Club

By Bob Snyder

Dorothy Dahlstrom, president of the Pep club, advocates a complete revamping of that organization, according to statements made by her this week.

"The Pep club sometimes lacks its prime requisite, pep," she stated in this interview.

Miss Mildred Soma, head of the Women's physical education department, and Miss Erna Moehl, sponsor of Pep club, as well as several member of the Pep club, are in complete accord with her.

Prexy Wants Reorganization.

The prexy feels that the whole thing will have to be reorganized. This year the members presented their names to appear on the ballot and were elected by the student body. Then some lost interest, she continued, or didn't realize what membership in the club entailed.

"Many of the members took an active interest in the club and strove to restore it to its position of importance and fulfill its purpose," she added.

At every home game during the basketball season, the president further stated, the section was marked off in the center of the stands for the Pep club. Many of these seats were vacant until the start of the varsity game, when there would be a mad rush for seats.

Two Agree On Change.

Dorothy and Miss Soma are agreed that the Pep club should admit men to membership. These men would comprise the rooting section and would sit in the section previously reserved for girls. The main reason for this would be that the fellows can and do make more noise at games than girls do. Their voices have greater carrying power and would be much more effective in a group than the voices of girls.

This 20-year old junior hails

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Dorothy Dahlstrom

from Farmersburg. She is taking a liberal arts course, majoring in music. She plans to teach music in public schools.

In high school, Dorothy was a soloist in the glee club and participated in basketball, softball and dramatics. She gained second place in the dramatic declamatory section of the state speech contest. Here at Wartburg she has continued her interest in these activities by being active in the Wartburg choir, Wartburg Players, Women's Athletic association, Music Appreciation club and Pi Sigma.

Why No 'Engel's Angle'?

Sports Editor Marvin Engel is playing hooky this week while planning a June 5 wedding for him and Leora; thus no column from him this week.

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Prexy, Side-Kick Make Plans

By Bill Boyken

Next year's student body president, Jim Keller, and his vice-president, Omar Bonderud, are wasting no time in making plans for student body government next year. Working as a team, this week the two top men in student government next year met to formulate at least some of the ideas that will be incorporated during the 1949-'50 school year.

Keller will take over the reigns of student government next year as a result of the close election which he won Monday, April 11. With a record 437 votes cast, over eighty per cent of the student body, Keller nosed out Bonderud by four votes. Keller received 220 votes and Bonderud 216, with one ballot spoiled.

Cooperation Evident.

Despite the closeness of the election, however, good will and cooperation between the two are plainly evident. Best example of this came during convocation the Tuesday following the election when both Keller and Bonderud pledged that they would work together as a team in an effort to provide Wartburg with really effective student government.

The team disclosed that newly elected members to Student Senate will meet with this year's Senate during the last two meetings this spring in order to get acquainted with their new jobs. Chairmen for all the Senate committees will be appointed this spring, so that they will be able to begin their functions promptly next fall.

Tentative Plans Discussed.

More tentative plans now under discussion include having all Student Senators report early next fall to welcome and assist incoming freshmen and calling a meeting of all organization presidents before the start of the school year to make plans for the activities program.

During the summer vacation Bonderud and Keller, both North Dakotans, will meet together to make additional plans for next year. Of particular importance will be the intramural program for next year, which is scheduled for expansion.

Concluding his remarks about next year's plans, Keller said, "Results of the election showed that there is a good deal of interest in student government. If the same interest and cooperation continue, next year should be a great one for student government at Wartburg."

—TRUMPET Staff Photo by Zimmerman.
President Jim

'Deep Sea' Is Theme Of Pi Sigma Banquet

Carrying out a "deep sea" theme, Pi Sigma, social organization for women students on campus, will hold a spring formal banquet Tuesday, April 26, at 7 p.m. at the Nu-Utpown cafe.

All Pi Sigma members are invited.

Mrs. Strom, policewoman from Waterloo, will be a feature of the occasion. She will speak on her vocation and will tell various experiences she has had in connection with her work.

Class Closes Season

Home economics food class closed its social season this year with a pre-Easter tea on Tuesday, April 12, for parish workers, social workers and office staffs. This was the last of three teas held this spring for different majors of all college departments.

Social Briefs
by Edie

New babies, a girl and two boys, were added to the Wartburg family the past month.

Paul Gregg, 10-pound, 3-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bruns, was born on March 28. Bruns is a junior, majoring in physical education.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Zelle was 9-pound, 8-ounce Bruce Ronald. Zelle was graduated from Wartburg last year and is now a draftsman at the Schield Bantam company.

Linda Louise is the 7-pound, 7-ounce daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Morasch. Morasch is a junior commercial major.

A number of engagements involving Wartburgers took place over Easter vacation. Alma Dittmer, sophomore, became engaged to Donald Strempke of Readlyn. Strempke is a former Wartburg student. Walt Rath and Betty Blehm, both seniors, also join the ranks of the pledged on the Wartburg campus.

Elaine Albers of Waverly and Herbert Schiller, sophomore, will be married at St. Paul's church on May 15, as announced this week.

Estel Lampe of Waverly became the bride of Edward Bunger at St. Paul's church on Easter Sunday. Bunger is a junior commerce student.

Juniors To Appear In Music Recital

Elwyn Hilmer, baritone, and Kenneth Krueger, pianist, will be heard in their junior recital Friday, April 29, at 7:30 p.m. at the Waverly high school auditorium.

Among the classical numbers to be sung by Hilmer are Brahms' "Vergebliches Standchen," Chopin's "The Maiden's Wish," Schubert's "Widmung" and Handel's "The People Walked in Darkness." Other songs include "Trust in Him" by Hamblen, "Clorinda" by Morgan and "The Green-eyed Dragon" by Charles.

Numbers to be played by Krueger include "Song Without Words" by Mendelssohn, "Reflets dans l'eau" by Zeckwer and "Ballade in A-flat Major" by Chopin.

Dr. Carr To Speak

Dr. P. H. Carr of the physics department of Iowa State college will be guest speaker at the first Science club banquet, to be held April 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the college dining hall, according to Delbert Meyer, club vice-president.

Dr. Carr will give an informal discussion in connection with photography at the club dinner, which will be followed by a 15-minute colored motion picture of butterflies.

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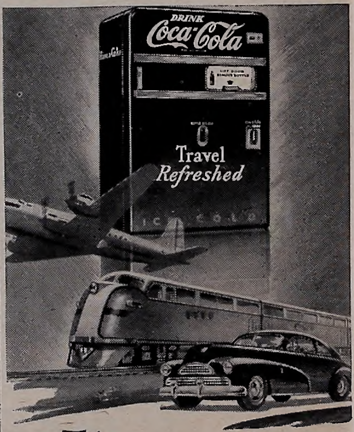

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